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Further in response to the Office Action of February 13, 2003, please amend the aboveidentified patent application as follows:

### IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claims 33-35, 37, 38, 41 and 42 without prejudice.

36. (Twice Amended) A method for treating Parkinson's disease in a mammal in need thereof, comprising administering to the mammal an effective amount of a compound that inhibits MLK activity and thereby prevent neuronal cell death occurring in a mammal susceptible to or having Parkinson's disease.

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